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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re: Meritet *et al.* Confirmation No.: 1381  
Application No.: 10/550,768 Group No.: Not assigned  
Filed: September 27, 2005 Examiner: Not assigned  
For: INTERFERON-ALPHA INDUCED GENE

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

PETITION AND FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a)

1. This is a petition for an extension of time for a total period of five (5) months to respond to the Notification of Missing Requirements dated March 27, 2006.
2. Applicant is ☐ a small entity; ☒ other than a small entity.
3. Calculation of extension fee (37 C.F.R. § 1.17(a)(1)-(a)(5)):

	Total Months Requested	Fee For Other Than Small Entity	Fee for Small Entity
<input type="checkbox"/>	one month	\$120.00	\$60.00
<input type="checkbox"/>	two months	\$450.00	\$225.00
<input type="checkbox"/>	three months	\$1,020.00	\$510.00
<input type="checkbox"/>	four months	\$1,590.00	\$795.00
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	five months*	\$2,160.00	\$1,080.00

\*Cannot be used to exceed six-month statutory limit for response to an Official Action.

- ☒ A check in the amount of \$2,160.00 is enclosed.  
☐ Charge Deposit Account No. 16-0605 for the extension fee.  
☐ All fees are being authorized to be charged to Deposit Account No. 16-0605 when electronically filing  
☒ Charge Deposit Account No. 16-0605 for any fee deficiency.

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I hereby certify that this paper or fee is being deposited with the United States Postal Service "Express Mail Post Office to Addressee" service under 37 CFR 1.10 on the date indicated above and is addressed to:

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